

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For : APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR  
MONITORING BODY COMPOSITION  
BY MEASURING BODY DIELECTRIC  
CONSTANT AND BODY IMPEDANCE  
BASED ON THE METHOD OF  
FREQUENCY DIGITAL SAMPLING

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to the first Official Action, it is respectfully  
requested that the following amendments be made.